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merit your patronage, and respectfully solicit  
the same. Orders by telephone (No. 523),  
postal, or otherwise will receive prompt at-  
tention.  
Very respectfully, &c.,  
WALTER J. TODD.  
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GREEN-CURED CLOVER HAY, to which I  
invite the inspection of owners of cows and  
dairymen. If you want to see something real  
nice, come and look at it.  
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load of NICE CLEAN OATS. If you have any  
trouble to get a first-class article of FEED for  
your stock try me with an order.  
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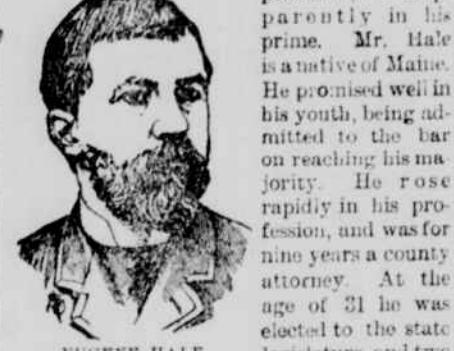
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## THE NEXT SENATE.

### SOME OF THE SUCCESSFUL SENATORIAL ASPIRANTS.

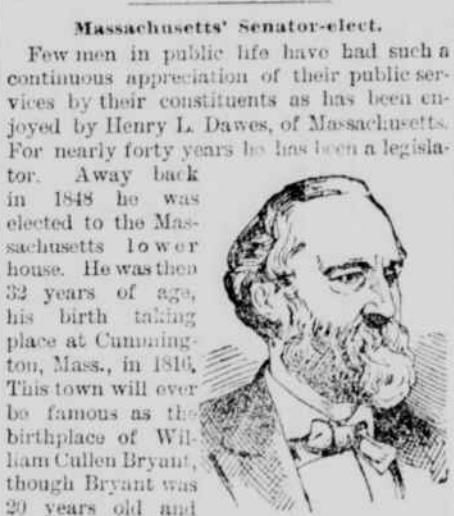
**Records Worth Reading—Men Who from Lowly Station Have Earned the Highest Honors in the Gift of Their Respective States.**

Eugene Hale has been re-elected to represent the "Pine Tree" state in the senate for the next six years. He has just passed his 50th year, but does not belie his name in appearance; he is apparently in his prime. Mr. Hale is a native of Maine. He promised well in his youth, being admitted to the bar on reaching his majority. He rose rapidly in his profession, and was for nine years a county attorney. At the age of 31 he was elected to the state legislature, and two years later, in 1859, he was sent to congress, where he remained until 1879, serving five successive terms. In 1881 he was chosen United States senator, and will now succeed himself for the second term. He was appointed postmaster general by President Grant, but he declined the position. President Hayes tendered him a position in his cabinet, which he also declined, preferring to give his services entirely to his native state, and it is for this attachment to their interests that the people of Maine again honor him.



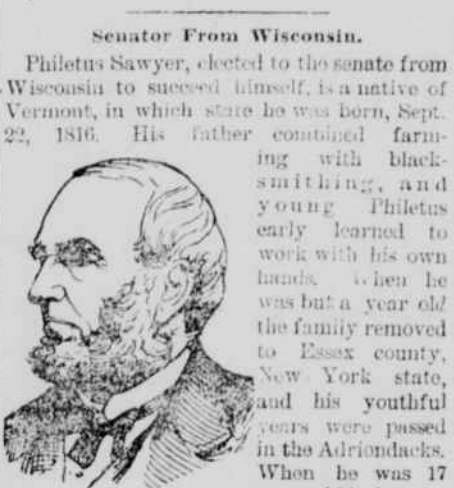
EUGENE HALE.

**Massachusetts' Senator-elect.**  
Few men in public life have had such a continuous appreciation of their public services by their constituents as has been enjoyed by Henry L. Dawes, of Massachusetts. For nearly forty years he has been a legislator. Away back in 1848 he was elected to the Massachusetts lower house. He was then 32 years of age, his birth taking place at Cummington, Mass., in 1816. This town will ever be famous as the birthplace of William Cullen Bryant, though Bryant was 29 years old and about leaving his native place to practice law at the time that Dawes was born. Young Dawes was graduated from Yale with honor and immediately engaged in teaching. Later he edited two local papers. Turning his attention to law he became a successful member of the Massachusetts bar. His growing popularity soon brought him into political prominence, and he was elected to the Massachusetts legislature, as stated before. After a term there he was returned to the senate, and in 1852 again to the lower house. From 1853 to 1857 he was district attorney. In 1857 he was elected a member of the thirty-fifth congress and continuously re-elected to the following eight congresses up to the forty-fourth, the term ending in 1877. Thus he might have been twenty years in congress up to that time. But the record was broken by his promotion to the senate on March 4, 1875, as the successor of Charles Sumner. When his term expired in 1881 he was re-elected, an honor which he again fallen to him. The term to which he has just been elected will expire in 1893.



SENATOR DAWES.

**Senator from Wisconsin.**  
Philatus Sawyer, elected to the senate from Wisconsin to succeed himself, is a native of Vermont, in which state he was born, Sept. 22, 1816. His father combined farming with blacksmithing, and young Philatus early learned to work with his own hands. When he was but a year old the family removed to Essex county, New York state, and his youthful years were passed in the Adirondacks. When he was 17 years old he became master of his own time. At the age of 31 he went west, settling in Wisconsin. Having but \$2,000 he failed to make a brilliant success at farming, and turned his attention to lumbering. He first took a contract, then rented, and finally purchased, a sawmill at Algona, now the city of Oshkosh. This enterprise proved a decided success, and Mr. Sawyer has long been reckoned among the solid men of Wisconsin. His political life began in the common council of Oshkosh, and in 1857, and again in 1861, he was elected a member of the state legislature. For two years he was mayor. In 1862, he was invited to become a candidate for congress, but declined, because of pressing business, to run. Two years later he decided to run and was elected. He continued a member of congress until 1875, when he refused to be a candidate for re-election. He was elected to the senate in 1880, and his re-election by the Republican party is evidence that his course has been satisfactory to his constituents.



SENATOR SAWYER.

**Swedish Iron.**  
A Swedish authority states that Swedish iron has almost lost its place in the English market. Hardware exported to that country are being returned unsold, even though offered at the very lowest prices. The East Indian market is almost as completely closed against Sweden, and such sales as have been made there have been effected at a ruinous loss.—Philadelphia Call.

**No Reason to be Glad.**  
Some persons appear to be getting excited over the question: "Was Hamlet mad?" Why in the dickens should he have been mad? He never saw a Nineteenth century "barn stormer" trying to interpret his character. Such a spectacle would have made him as mad as a baldheaded hornet.—Norristown Herald.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

### Interesting Incidents and Gossip.

**XLIXth CONGRESS.**  
Senate.

WASHINGTON, January 26.—Among the bills reported and placed on the calendar were one by Mr. Miller, from the Committee on Agriculture, creating a department of the Government to be known as the Department of Agriculture; one by Mr. Sewell, from the Committee on the Library, for the completion of the monument to Mary, the mother of Washington; one by Mr. Eustis, from the Committee on Epidemic Diseases, authorizing the removal of the quarantine station from Ship Island, Miss.

Messrs. Hoar, Frye, and Pugh were appointed a committee of conference on the act relating to contested elections.

Mr. Hoar offered an amendment to the rules reading: "As soon as a quorum shall appear, prayer shall be offered by the chaplain and the journal shall be then read." He said that the object of the proposed change was to secure the presence of a quorum of the Senate before prayer is offered by the chaplain. If the Senate proposed to continue an expression of reverence to the Creator of the universe and of public dependence on that Power for guidance and support, it should be done decently and with decorum. The spectacle of divine service in the Senate chamber with only one, two or three Senators present ought not longer to be continued. Referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House.**

The Speaker laid before the House a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury submitting the estimates of the Secretary of the Interior of appropriation to meet the expenditures required by the Mexican pension bills. Referred. [The Secretary of the Interior estimates that \$4,663,104 will be required for the first yearly payment of pensions, and asks for the appropriation of \$357,000 for the increase of the clerical force.]

The Senate Fisheries bill having been laid before the House, on motion of Mr. Belmont, it was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and leave granted that committee to report at any time.

The granting of leave to report at any time required unanimous consent, but there was apparently no disposition on the part of any member to make an objection. As it has been frequently held that the right to report at any time carries with it the right of immediate consideration, the bill will have the right of way in the House as soon as it has been passed upon by the committee.

Mr. Bragg submitted the conference report upon the army appropriation bill, and it was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Catchings, of Mississippi, a bill was passed providing for the holding of terms of the United States Courts at Vicksburg, Miss.

## FACTS AND HEARSAYS.

Appointment Clerk Higgins is sick at his home in Baltimore.

George S. Moore, of Iowa, has been appointed a \$900 clerk in the Dead Letter Office.

A large floral representation of an Irish harp "with the compliments of the Sarsfield Club," adorned the desk of Senator Riddleberger to-day, sent to him in consideration of his recent declarations of sympathy with Irish patriots.

Eight Democrats and as many Republicans were paired on the woman suffrage bill; in each instance the Republicans would have voted aye. Out of 34 noes only 10 were Republicans.

Robert B. Trevelar has been appointed private secretary to Senator Farwell. Mr. Trevelar is a skilled stenographer, and was for twelve years employed with Mr. Wright, correspondent of the Boston Journal.

The Secretary of War has sent to the House, with his disapproval, a petition by enlisted men, asking that the act authorizing a retired list for privates and non-commissioned officers be amended so as to reduce the period of service to twenty-five years.

Nearly every politician in the country, who is out of a job is mentioned as one of the inter-State commerce commissioners. The list embraces ex-Governors, ex-Senators, ex-members, &c., &c., ad infinitum. About the check list yet made out is Van Wyck and Conger, two Republican Senators, who have just been thrown overboard, and Morrison—the first two being such enemies of the Administration, and the last named not supposed to be much in sympathy with it.

The following fourth-class postmasters have been appointed in Virginia: Wright Prescott, Gunston, Fairfax county; Chas. W. Callahan, Kent's Mills, Wythe county, and James B. Andrews, White's, Caroline county. The office at Granbery, Bedford county, has been discontinued as not needed and the office at Genety, Albemarle county, there being no applicant for the place.

The Senate, after two hours' discussion of the proposed amendment to the Constitution, conferring the right of suffrage upon women, rejected it by the vote of 34 to 16, as follows: "Yeas—Messrs. Blair, Bowen, Cheney, Conger, Cullom, Dolph, Farwell, Hoar, Manderson, Mitchell, of Oregon, Mitchell, of Pennsylvania, Palmer, Platt, Sherman, Teller, and Wilson, of Iowa—16; all Republicans. Nays—Messrs. Beck, Berry, Blackburn, Brown, Call, Cockrell, Coke, Colquitt, Eustis, Evarts, George, Gray, Hampton, Harris, Hawley, Ingalls, Jones, of Nevada, McMillan, McPherson, Mahone, Morgan, Morrill, Payne, Pugh, Saulsbury, Sawyer, Sewell, Spooner, Vance, Vest, Walcott, Whitthorne, Williams, and Wilson of Maryland—34.

In the House the decision of the Page-Pierce contested election case was concluded, and the resolution unseating Pierce and declaring the seat vacant was adopted by 130 to 33. The Agricultural appropriation bill was reported.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

### HAPPENINGS AT HOME AND ABROAD AS SENT OVER THE WIRES.

**The Hudson's Bay Railroad—Gen. Stone's Funeral—An Alleged Fraudulent Failure—Indians Suffering—Crime in Danville—Iowa Brewers Give In—Weather Indications—Cardinal Gibbons' Departure—&c., &c.**

## STABBED TO THE HEART.

**Murdered as He Sat Drinking Wine.**

CHICAGO, January 26.—Early this morning John Watts, a well-known character, entered George Wilson's liquor store, corner of South Water and Clark streets, accompanied by a male companion and two women. The quartette entered a wine room in the rear. Shortly afterwards three men entered the saloon. One had a badly bruised face and eye. This one listened at the door of the wine room, and then, turning to his companions, said: "Now, I'm going to do him." With that he drew a long dirk from his pocket and stepped hastily to the wine room door. Pushing it open, he saw John Watts sitting with his back to him and, without a word of warning, the murderer bent over the unsuspecting man's shoulder and plunged the dagger up to the hilt into his heart.

Jerking his bloody weapon out, he ran through the side door, followed by his chums, and escaped. Watts rolled from his chair with a wine glass still clutched between his fingers, and died in a few minutes. His friend left the saloon without waiting for developments, but the women were taken by the Harrison-street patrol and locked in a cell at the armory, where they are playing drunk and feigning entire ignorance of the matter. Detectives have been detailed to capture the man with a black eye and his companions. It is believed they formed a conspiracy and followed the murdered man with the intention of killing him. It is stated that Watts had just returned from a ball, where he had a quarrel with the man who murdered him. The quarrel was over a woman.

## The Hudson's Bay Railroad.

CHICAGO, January 26.—A special from Winnipeg, Man., says: Hugh Sutherland, president of the Hudson's Bay road, running from here to Hudson's bay, announced last night that the company would spend \$4,000,000 the coming year in construction. The company is having three ships built at New Castle-on-Tyne, for navigation on Hudson's bay. He promised that the road would be completed in two years' time.

## LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

### Canada and Ireland.

LONDON, January 26.—Mr. Chamberlain writes to the Times at considerable length, to show the practicability of the adaptation of the Canadian constitution to Ireland. In concluding, Mr. Chamberlain says he never pretended that the Canadian constitution could be bodily transferred, so as to settle the relations of Ireland and Great Britain. The exact nature of an adaptation which would be suitable for the wants of Ireland is one of the questions on which he hopes that further discussion will throw light.

Mr. Gladstone, writing to a Glasgow paper, says there are many circumstantial differences between the cases of Canada and Ireland, but within and under them there is a strong analogy. In the main they have the same friends and foes. Toryism has not supported freedom in Canada, and resists it in Ireland.

### A Message of Peace from the Czar.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—It is stated that the Czar has forwarded a pacific message to Francis Joseph of Austria.

### General Stone's Funeral.

NEW YORK, January 26.—The funeral of General Charles P. Stone will take place from St. Leo's Catholic church tomorrow morning, and will reach the Wheelbarrow ferry in time for the 11:30 a.m. train for West Point. On reaching West Point the ceremonies will be under the direction of the superintendent of the United States Military Academy, General Wesley Merritt, and the interment will be in the National Cemetery of that institution, of which General Stone was a graduate. The pall-bearers will be General W. T. Sherman, General John M. Schofield, Eugene Kelly, Charles P. Daly, J. W. Pinchot, Joseph Drexel, General Z. B. Tower, Colonel Alfred Mordecai, General Fitz John Porter, General John P. Hatch, General S. Van Vliet, General S. D. Oliphant, Robert B. Parsons, Joseph Murray.

### The Iowa Brewers Give In.

CHICAGO, January 26.—A special from Des Moines, Iowa, says: The brewers have again closed their retail bars, having discovered that while a State could not interfere in a cause that had been transferred to the Federal court there was nothing to prevent its beginning another cause like it. So every glass of beer sold was claimed to be a new offense and ground for a new action by the State.

### Crime in Danville.

DANVILLE, VA., January 26.—George Dallas, a negro, in a moment of passion and brutal mania, whipped to death a colored boy aged thirteen, near Kentucky, in this county. Dallas was arrested and lodged in Chatham jail.

### Swept Overboard and Drowned.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., January 26.—The schooner St. John, which sailed for Rio Janiero Saturday last, arrived back yesterday. She reports that on Saturday evening, when off Point LePauze, David McDonald, the first mate, was swept overboard by a heavy sea and drowned. After losing part of her deck load, the vessel ran for Beaver harbor, reaching there Monday night.

Dr. George L. Miller, of Omaha, is said to have been sent to Mexico on a secret State Department mission.

## An Alleged Fraudulent Failure.

CHICAGO, January 26.—An omnibus bill has been filed in the Superior Court on behalf of numerous creditors of the Chicago Drug and Chemical Company, which failed lately, against the company and others, to set aside a number of confessions against the company. It is charged that the confessions of judgment were given without any consideration for the purpose of defrauding the general creditors.

## Indians Said to be Suffering.

ST. PAUL, January 26.—A special from Spokane Falls, Washington Territory, to the Pioneer Press, says: It is said that terrible suffering exists on the Colville reservation, eighty miles north, smallpox having broken out in the tribe with great fatality. Deep snow has prevented hunting, and government supplies have been inadequate.

## Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, January 28.—Indications for Virginia for the next twenty-four hours, commencing at 6 p.m.: For Virginia, colder, northwesterly winds, and rain or snow.

Cold wave coming. The temperature will probably fall 15° to 30° in the next thirty hours.

## FINANCIAL.

Reported by C. W. Branch & Co., bankers and brokers, No. 1111 Main street.

## New York Stock Market.

REVIEW.

NEW YORK, January 26.—Our market opened extremely dull, and the bears took advantage of this to raid the market freely, but the recovery was a quick one only, however, to be followed by another dull period and another selling movement. It has been a see-saw market all day and destitute of any outside feature of interest, the public being apparently apathetic and the majority of dealings arising from the transactions of local speculators and room traders, who are generally the heaviest. Prices sold down during the last hour, but we cannot discover long stocks coming to any extent, and we are still inclined to believe that judicious purchases on any decline will be remunerative. Foreign exchange rather easier and in less demand. The market closed dull and steady; money, 5 per cent.

## STATE SECURITIES.

	Bid.	Asked
North Carolina 4's, c.	90	—
North Carolina 6's, c.	124 1/2	—
Virginia 6's, consols, 1905	56	—
Virginia 6's, consols, 1905	42	—
Virginia 3-4-5 10-40's	43	—
Virginia 3's, new, 1932	60 1/2	67 1/2
Virginia consols coupons, old	66	—

## CITY BONDS.

Richmond 8's, 1909	141	—
Richmond 6's, 1886-1914	121	—
Richmond 5's, 1914-1919	101	108
Richmond 4's, 1920	102	—

## RAILROAD STOCKS.

Canada Southern	56 1/2	56 1/2
Del., Lack. and Western	134 1/2	134 1/2
Erie	31 1/2	31 1/2
E. Tenn., 1st preferred	74 1/2	75
E. Tenn., 2d preferred	24 1/2	25 1/2
E. Tenn., common	14	14 1/2
Hocking Valley	35 1/2	35 1/2
I. B. and W.	33 1/2	34
Jersey Central	69 1/2	69 1/2
Lake-Shore	92 1/2	92 1/2
M. & K. T.	29 1/2	29 1/2
S. & W. preferred	48 1/2	49
New York and New England	59 1/2	59 1/2
Northern Pacific	111 1/2	111 1/2
Northern Pacific	58	58 1/2
New York Central	112 1/2	112 1/2
Petersburg	68 1/2	69
Pacific Mail	50 1/2	50 1/2
Reading	37 1/2	38